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MISSOURI DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES ""YIRONMENTAL EMERGENCY RESPONSE REPOP"

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SRO CITY OF ! EPA, WMP	SPRINGFIELD		KS 1720 Spill Number 21 / 02 / 85 Date Closed		02 85 Mo., Year)	
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	REPORTER	CODE: 1 SPILLER	TYPE	(X-CODE): 2	Petro Fixe	d Fac.
		Name	Organization	Addres		Phone
EER Calle	ed by A: _	Rick Koch, Diamond	Automotive		417/862	-3581
Reported	to A by E:_					
Responsib	ole Party: _	Diamond Automotive				
COMPANY;	Diamond Aut	comotive	CONTACT NAME	: Rick Koch		
STREET:	2541 Collec	<u>je</u>	CITY/COUNTY;	Springfield	/Greene	.1
STATE:	10 ZII	TELEF	PHONE - AREA CODE;	417 7 DIGIT	NO: 862-358	1
Incident	Type: 6 Tar	nk	Project No:			
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Primary M	Mat. Involved	d: 9 Waste Oil	Ar	nt. Spilled:_	~	1) gallons
Exact Nam	ne or Other N	Materials Involved:	Waste Crankcase Oil			
Incident	Description	and Response:				

A rack holding a 300 gallon tank of waste crankcase oil broke spilling the oil on the property. Some was contained on property - about 100 gallons entered a storm ditch. Company to arrange for a vaccuum truck to pick up oil. City of Springfield, Water Pollution is on-scene.

2/21/85 - 1015 called Randy Lyman (City of Springfield). Diamond could not locate vac truck or pumps last night; are continuing cleanup today. Bob Corsen (City) investigating. Diamond directed to return waste to tank.

1040 Notified Ed. Sears (SRO). He will discuss hazardous waste issues with Chuck Kroeger. Ed Sears and Dave Cavender inspected spill site. No recoverable oil remaining on ditch. Oil cleaned up and returned to repaired tank.

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Notifications: Na., Org., Date, Time, Phone Ed Sears, SRO, 2/21/85 1040 Dan Mroz, WMP, 2/21/85 120	ON-SCENE PONSE?: (Y or N) N
	DUTY OFFICER: Kich Schwla
	<u>Keith Schardein</u>

ATTENTION OF MEMO_TO_FILE	DATE	November	16,	L976	
DEPARTMENT					

Re: Diamond Garage

Friday, November 12, 1976, Gene Pabst, Steve Short and I were checking the above establishment to see if work had begun on sewer attachement. No evidence of such progress was seen. However, a liquid waste with white residue was noted coming from the garage door and going into his oil pit. The pH of this substance was 11.0. The storm ditch in front of his business was still oily and had a pH of 10.0. Mr. Koch, the owner, was contacted approximately one month ago concerning this problem. We will give him four more days, then contact him again.

SIGNED SIGNED

2541 W. College

John Witherspoon, WPCI II, S & E

October 19, 1976

Mr. J. A. Koch Diamond Automotive & Supply 2541 College Road Springfield, Missouri

Dear Mr. Koch:

I would like to thank you for the courtesy extended John Witherspoon and myself during our recent visit to your business. During our conversation you were advised that the discharge to the storm sewer resulting from your steam cleaning operation is a apparent violation of City, State, and Federal Laws pertaining to the discharge of petroleum products to a natural waterway.

The attachement of this cleaning area, incorporating an appropriate oil separator, to the sanitary sewer should be a satisfactory alternative to the present system. Please keep in mind that the elimination of storm water from this outside cleaning area should be incorporated into the design of the new system.

This office would advise you to cease discharge immediately until proper disposal of the discharge can be attained.

Please contact the Department of Building Regulations at City Hall to determine what permits are necessary to implement the required changes.

Please contact this office when the changes are complete so that an inspection can be made to determine compliance.

If you have any questions or need further assistance, please do not hesitate to call.

Yours truly,

Robert Corson Water Pollution Control Inspector III Surveillance & Enforcement

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cc: Mr. John R. Nixon, Regional Administrator, Department of Natural Resources Mr. R. Nichols, Director, Building Regulations Public Works File

2541 W. College

ATTENTION OF MEMO TO FILE	DATE October 15, 1976	
DEPARTMENT		

Re: Diamond Garage

Bob Corson & I contacted Mr. J. A. Koch, owner of the above business, and informed him that a compliant had been registered concerning oil in the drainage ditch across from his business. He was also informed that investigations had eliminated all other sources. We asked him of possible sources from his operations & we were informed that he had a drain into the storm box from his foof. He later admitted that a grate in the entrance to his garage also tied into this drain and that some oil could possibly enter there. He stated that there was an oil separator in the grate. His operations draining to the grate include steam cleaning. We then informed him of the regulations concerning the discharge of petroleum products to natural waterways. He agreed that such products should not be allowed to enter the waterways & asked how he might eliminate his contributions. Since he is on a septic tank, we informed him that his best course of action would be to connect the grate to the sanitary sewer & provide a covering to preclude rainwater. We also discussed the possibilities of moving the steam cleaning operation or eliminating it. He agreed that attaching to the sanitary sewer, with an approved oil separator, would be desirable and that he would contact his plumber to investigate the possibility of attaching. The closest sewer is in the middle of Olive Street and appears to be deep enough for him to attach. A letter confirming this conversation will be sent with a reminder to contact us concerning his plans.

John Witherspoon, Water Pollut

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2541 W. College

ATTENTION OF MEMO TO FILE	DATE	September	24,	1976
DEPARTMENT				

Re: Diamond's Garage & Consumers Market on West College

We received a call Friday morning, September 24, 1976, from Mr. Anderson of the City Health Department concerning the above mentioned businesses and their respective discharges to the storm sewer. Bob Corson and I along with Mr. Anderson contacted the manager of the Consumers store and were told to contact the main office concerning cooling tower discharge. Mr. Anderson stated that he would handle Consumers and we were to write a letter to Diamond's requesting that they cease stream-cleaning operations over the grate by their garage. The letter will be sent shortly.

SIGNED.

John

John Witherspoon, Water Pollution Control Inspector, S & E

2541 W. College

ATTENTION OF MEMO TO FILE	DATE	SEPTEMBER 3	, 1976
DEPARTMENT			

Re: Diamond Garage 2541 College

Acting on a complaint, Bob Corson and I investigated the drainage system from the above business. The storm sewer across the street appeared to be somewhat septic and smelled rather putrid. The storm box directly in front of the business appeared to have a modreate quantity of emulsified oil & grease in it. Although the garage has a small pipe to the storm sewer, the majority of the pollution appeared to be coming from the loading dock and parking lot of the adjacent Consumers Market. We will continue the investigation Tuesday, September 7.

SIGNED IN MUHAMM 2541 W. College

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